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1. THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE DRAFT DECLARATION
ON PEACEKEEPING WHICH THE FRG PRESIDENCY WILL DISCUSS
WITH USUN LATER THIS WEEK.

BEGIN TEXT:

(1) SOLEMNLY REAFFIRMING THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE
UNITED NATIONS FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF INTERNATIONAL
PEACE AND SECURITY AS SET OUT IN THE CHARTER,

(2) CONVINCED THAT IN THIS FRAMEWORK PEACE-KEEPING
OPERATIONS ARE AN ESSENTIAL FUNCTION OF THE UNITED
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(3) EXPRESSING ITS APPRECIATION FOR THE EFFORTS BEING
MADE WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK, INCLUDING
THOSE OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PEACE-KEEPING
OPERATIONS, TO STRENGTHEN THE PEACE-KEEPING MACHINERY
OF THE UNITED NATIONS,

(4) RECOGNIZING WITH APPRECIATION THE ROLE PLAYED BY

THE SECRETARY GENERAL IN THE PEACE-KEEPING ACTIVITIES
OF THE UNITED NATIONS,

(5) PAYING TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF ALL THOSE WHO HAVE
LOST THEIR LIVES IN UNITED NATIONS PEACE-KEEPING
OPERATIONS,

SOLEMNLY DECLARES ITS DETERMINATION TO PURSUE ITS EFFORTS
TOWARDS STRENGTHENING INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY,
AND TO THIS END

1. APPEALS TO ALL MEMBER STATES TO SUPPORT, IN THE
SPIRIT OF THE CHARTER, ALL PEACE-KEEPING OPERATIONS
DECIDED UPON BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL,

2. STRESSES THE RESPONSIBILITY OF MEMBER STATES TO
SHARE THE FINANCIAL BURDENS OF SUCH OPERATIONS,

3. APPEALS TO ALL MEMBER STATES FURTHER TO STRENGTHEN
THE PEACE-KEEPING CAPABILITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS
BY SUPPLEMENTARY ASSISTANCE TO PEACE-KEEPING OPERATIONS
IN PARTICULAR THROUGH LOGISTIC SUPPORT AND THROUGH
MAKING AVAILABLE TO THE UNITED NATIONS ANY OTHER PEACE-
KEEPING POTENTIAL TO THE BEST OF THEIR MEANS,

4. INVITES ALL MEMBER STATES TO CONSIDER THE CREATION
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OF TRAINING FACILITIES FOR UNITED NATIONS PEACE-KEEPING
PERSONNEL,

5. INVITES ALL MEMBER STATES TO CONSIDER SUPPLYING THE
SECRETARY-GENERAL WITH REGULAR INFORMATION RELATING TO
POSSIBLE STAND-BY CAPACITIES INCLUDING LOGISTICS,

6. URGES ALL CONCERNED TO ENSURE THE EFFECTIVE
FUNCTIONING OF PEACE-KEEPING OPERATIONS AND IN
PARTICULAR THE SAFETY OF ALL PERSONS INVOLVED THEREIN.
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